

Miner Training Saves Lives

New miners face risks. Last year 35 percent of the metal and nonmetal miners who lost their lives in accidents had less than 2 years of mining experience. New employees need thorough training. It's not just about complying with MSHA rules. It's about all miners knowing what it takes to work safely and return home safe and healthy at the end of every shift.

Safety and health training. For you. For them.



BEST PRACTICES

- Make sure new miners get their required training (Part 46 or Part 48).
- Emphasize safe procedures and how to spot hazards.
- Does the training work? Watch the trainees working, and make sure.
- Supervise and mentor new employees closely.
- Train visitors. Watch over them while they're at the mine.

Safety is a Value

